ARMY SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAM AR 600-85

NAME CHANGE

OLD NAME

- AR 600-85 ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL PROGRAM (ADAPCP)

NEW NAME

- AR 600-85 ARMY SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAM (ASAP)

AR 600-85 clarifies clinical and command responsibilities at all program levels

- Counseling and treatment services provided by the ASAP clinical staff are directed under the authority of the Surgeon General of the Army (TSG) with U.S.Army Medical Command (MEDCOM) providing oversight, and the Medical Treatment Facility (MTF) commander providing local supervision.

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- Non-clinical elements of the ASAP which focus on prevention and education services occur under the authority of the Deputy Chief of Staff of Personnel at Department of Army Headquarter with Army Center for Substance Abuse Programs providing oversight, and the Garrison Commander providing local supervision.

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- **Assigns management and oversight of drug testing labs to TSG and MEDCOM while ACSAP is responsible for the command elements of the biochemical testing program.**

- **Establishes policies and procedures for determining fitness for duty for known or suspected alcohol-related occurrences.**

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- **Mandates that all soldiers identified as illegal drug users will be processed for administrative separation.**
- **Requires all active duty soldiers be tested for drugs no less than approximately one unannounced random test per year.**

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- Requires that command referred and enrolled soldiers in the ASAP be flagged.

- Promotes the concept of risk reduction to target potential problems in order to promote readiness.

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- **Expands the Army's civilian Drug-free Federal Workplace drug testing program and implements the Department of Transportation (DOT), Commercial Driver's License Program (CDL) and Controlled Substances and Alcohol Use Testing.**

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- Is a new document which covers civilian-related services for the Army Substance Abuse Program (ASAP).
- Provides instructions and guidance for implementing the DOT Drug and Alcohol Testing Program.

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- **Provides guidance for the completion of drug and alcohol management information system (DAMIS) forms.**

- **Clarifies further, the scope and aims of the Army's Employee Assistance Program (EAP).**